

Amendment No. 3 to SB1219

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1219*

House Bill No. 1754

by adding the following new section immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION __. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-4-102(7), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

() "Club" also means a for-profit recreational club organized and existing under the laws of the state of Tennessee which has been in existence and operating for at least two (2) years prior to March 31, 2003, and which is located in any county not having a metropolitan form of government and having a population of not less than five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census, and further possesses the following characteristics:

(i) Has at least two hundred twenty-five (225) members paying monthly and/or annual dues and does not discriminate against members or potential members or bona fide guests of such members on the basis of gender, race, religion or national origin;

(ii) Is organized and operated exclusively for recreation and provides a regulation eighteen-hole golf course for the use of its members and guests, and may or may not also provide for the use of its members and guests a swimming pool and tennis facility; and

(iii) Has a clubhouse with not less than ten thousand square feet (10,000 sq. ft.) with suitable kitchen, dining facilities and equipment, serving at least one (1) meal daily, at least five (5) days a week;

(iv) Such club may not compensate or pay any officer, director, agent or employee any profits from the sale of alcoholic or malt beverages based upon the volume of such beverages sold;

It is the express intention of the general assembly that the provisions of law concerning the purchase or possession of alcoholic beverages by persons under twenty-one (21) years of age be strictly enforced by such club;